

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yoshiyuki HOJO	Art Unit: 2836
Application No.: 10/597,381	
Confirmation No.: 1240	Examiner: D. Patel
Filing or 371(c) Date: July 22, 2006	Art Unit: 2836
Title: OVERCURRENT DETECTING CIRCUIT AND REGULATOR HAVING THE SAME	

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 28, 2008, the period for response to which has been extended to December 28, 2008, by the accompanying Petition for a ONE-month Extension of Time, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2. No amendments have been made to the Claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.